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sep19—tf Proprietor

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—:o:—
I have just received a large lot of Elegant Jewelry. This I will guarantee to the purchaser to be just as represented. I sell no cheap, "fire gilt" goods but carry a STANDARD LINE OF GOLD FRONT GOODS. The attention of the ladies is called to the latest styles of BREAST PINS—they are "things of beauty!"
The old reliable and standard SETH THOMAS CLOCKS always in stock, in various styles and sizes.
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And all my art and skill can do
If you just call, I'll do for you.
PAUL SHERARD,
The Clinton Barber.

Sale of Land.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORder of the Superior Court of Sampson county, I will sell, by public sale, at the Courthouse door in Clinton, on 10th day of February, 1890, one tract of land situated in Taylor's Bridge township, Sampson county, adjoining the lands of Haywood Register, Ira Powell, Davis Powell and others, and known as the lands of Prince Boon, deceased. The said lands will be sold in lots of 109 and 111 acres each. The terms of sale; 25 per cent. of purchase money cash, the balance on a credit of 12 months, with note and approved security. Title reserved until purchase money is paid.
WM. S. MATTHEWS,
Adm'r and Com'r.
M. C. RICHARDSON, Att'y.
This 8th dap of Jan,, 1890.—4t

☞ BROWN'S IRON BITTERS
Cures Indigestion, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Malaria, Nervousness, and General Debility. Physicians recommend it. All dealers sell it. Genuine has trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

SENSIBLE TALK

BY A NORTH CAROLINA NEGRO.

He is Opposed to Emigration and is not Ashamed that He is Black.

Dr. J. C. Price, president of the colored college at Salisbury, N. C., and one of the foremost orators of his race, has just delivered, at Chester, S. C., a speech that is attracting much attention. In his speech he says:

"I have no faith in the doctrine of assimilation. The ancestral pride of the white man, the growing pride of the negro, forbid that this amalgamation take place save on the high ground of matrimony, and there is only one intermarriage out of every 200,000 Some blacks want this. They say that their color is against them. If that could only be changed all would be well. I believe that color has nothing to do with the question. Black is a favorite color. A black horse we all admire. A black silk dress is a gem. A black broadcloth suit is a daisy. Black only loses its prestige, its dignity, when applied to a human.

"It is not because of his color, but because of his condition, that the black man is in disfavor. Whenever a black face appears it suggests a poverty-stricken, an ignorant race. Change your conditions; exchange immorality for morality, ignorance for intelligence, poverty for prosperity, and the prejudice against our race will disappear like a morning dewdrop before the rising sun.

"Others would have us disappear by emigration. Your distinguished Senator has just introduced into Congress a measure intended to help us away. As for me I don't want to go. ("No, no!" from the audience) This sunny Southland, where lie the bleaching bones of my fathers, is dear to me, and I, too, feel to the manor born. This soil is consecrated by the labor, by the tears and the prayers of my ancestors. Talk about Ethiopia, talk of Africa, but I believe that God intends the negro race to work out here in the South the highest status he has ever attained. If anybody wants to go to Mexico or Kansas or anywhere else, let him pack his trunk and go of his own free will. Let Congress appropriate if it wants. I will respectfully ask it to take back my part.

"It may be that God means us to go some day, but that is not the way and this is not the time. Remember, friends, that long ago two little barques came to America. One landed at Plymouth her load of freemen, the other came to Jamestown with a freight of bondsmen. Two separate civilizations sprang into being from these two ships; but we are away from home. The red man alone is at home here, and he wou't be much longer if they keep on pushing him westward into the Pacific. When Congress legislates the black men back to Africa it would be just as wise to legislate the white man back to Europe. When one goes the other ought to go too. I am here to stay. I have an unbounded confidence in the future of the Southland. Her broad rivers, her rich fields and well stored mines will one day produce the richest harvest of prosperity the world ever saw, and I want to help reap it and enjoy it.

"What though a man be killed now and then? He who would try to crush us deserves the pity—not the crushed! Though a hundred men fall around me I will stand firm on the rock of my faith with an unshaken hope.

"The negro is an imitative creature, and this is a sign of much hope. The Indian always does the opposite from what he sees the white man do. Hence he has gone down. It is just the reverse with the negro. A white man gets a house painted white, with green blinds; the negro does the same. The white man rides in a buggy, the negro gets one too. The white man drives a horse, the negro buys him a horse. The white man buys a house, the negro does the same. It may be built in the gothic order, with rafters in view, but it's a house. This promises well. Rome imitated Greece; England imitated Rome; America imitated England. It's a help every time, and the negro is following right on in the white man's steps."

THE CAPITAL.

What Is Transpiring at the Head of the Nation.

[Reg. Cor. THE CAUCASIAN.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 10th.

Senator Vorhees is always certain of a large audience, no matter what the subject is that he is announced to speak upon, so that it is not to be wondered at that the Senate galleries should have been packed to overflowing to hear his speech on the resolution offered by him calling upon the department of Justice for information as to whether the United States Attorney at Indianapolis acted under its instructions in protecting W. W. Dudley, author of the notorious "blocks of five" letter, from arrest, when he was recently in Indiana. He spoke of Dudley's crime as having inflicted an indeniable stain on a memorable election and impeached its result. He said further that the fact of the crime was open, universally known and practically confessed, and yet by vigilance in obstructing the law, and in denying and preventing justice, the crime has thus far gone unpunished. The beneficiary of a polluted ballot-box now in high place had felt compelled to shield the corrupt instrument of that success, and he thought it was high time that the most disgraceful and most alarming episode in the presidential campaign should be fully understood by the whole people, and that the proper degree of responsibility should be assigned to the instrument by whom it was perpetrated, and to those who tried to hide the offense. He also spoke of Dudley's threatening Harrison if he was not protected, and closed by saying that Mr. Harrison now had it in his power to exonerate himself by dismissing the corrupt United States District Attorney who had ordered a United States Commissioner not to issue a warrant for Dudley's arrest. The resolution was amended by Senator Edmunds and then adopted. Nothing is expected of it, however, as such orders, if given, are not made matters of official record.

Redresentative Bynum, of Indiana, is also after Dudley in the House. He has offered a resolution providing for the appointment of a select committee with power to send for persons and papers for the purpose of investigating the Congressional election, including the "blocks of five" letters. Mr. Bynum says he never intends to let up on Dudley until he sees him where he belongs—in prison.

The World's Fair question will probably soon be settled now. St. Louis and Washington have been heard by the Senate committee, and to-morrow will be devoted to hearing arguments in favor of Chicago and New York. In the House, the committee on Foreign Affairs, which has charge of the matter, has decided to report a bill, leaving the site blank, to be filled by vote of the House. If no hitch occurs the whole thing should be settled before the 1st of February.

HOW TO SUCCEED.

If you want to be healthy you must eat regularly, as meat to-day will not serve you for to-morrow. To be prosperous in business advertise regularly. Stop eating and you starve and die. Stop advertising and your business takes consumption and dies also. Spasmodic advertising is like having a "feast of famine"—more famine than feast as a general rule—and is never satifactory. To take out your 'ad' in dull times is killing your horse because he is a lame. In dull times advertising is most effective, as more notice is taken of printer's ink then than at any other time.—Lumberton Robesonian.

A NEGRO'S ADVICE TO NEGROES.

Congressman Cheatham has made a speech strongly opposing the negro exodus. He addressed a crowd at Halifax a few days ago and gave the labor agents some round denunciation. He told the negroes not to go anywhere unless they were able to pay their own way and go independently. They will do well to heed his advice—State Chronicle.

TOO FEW.

It is said that the "decent" Republicans of Montana are ashamed of the course pursued by their party in that State. But the decent Republicans are too few to amount to anything.—Wilmington Star.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

The Business Men's Democratic Association of New York celebrated the battle of New Orleans on the 8th instant, the seventy-fifth anniversary. A large gathering of distinguished Democrats were present, including the Governors from many States. Over the chairman's seat in the hall of the Association was the floral motto:

1815. TARIFF REFORM. 1890.

President Simmons in opening the meeting said:

"As your presiding officer, you have accorded to me the pleasant privilege of inviting you to the entertainment which now comes. Especially is this remark true as applied to the distinguished gentlemen some of whom have come a long way to night to participate with us in this banquet. [Applause] It has become appropriate with us to celebrate the Battle of New Orleans. [Applause.] It is proper that we, who are in sympathy and affiliation with the Democratic party, should choose the 8th day of January as one of festivity and rejoicing. Now, while it cannot be regarded as a great epoch, yet it is a great event in the history of the nation. Gen'l Jackson [applause] was the central figure in that battle, and his subsequent popularity dates from that victory. The admirers of Jackson will certainly not say that he was an excellent scholar or a profound lawyer, but he was pre-eminently a statesman and a leader of the people and by birth a Democrat. [Great applase.] He was elevated to the chair of the Chief Executive of the nation, and the rapidity with which he was advanced from his boyhood shows the possibilities of the humblest and poorest children born under the banner of our nation. There is no such thing as caste in this nation. [Cries of "No! no!"] We are rather like the ocean, from which any drop of water may come up and glisten upon the crest of the highest wave that rolls. [Great applause.] We honor men of Jackson's stamp because of his undeviating devotion to the people whom he ruled. Especially his unflinching devotion to the party that placed him in power will cause him to be remembered by those who believe in the Democracy of the Constitution as propounded by Thomas Jefferson."

The meeting was one of great enthusiasm and the principles celebrated did credit to those who participated.

GENERAL LEE.

The Man Who Never Shirked a Responsibility.

After the close of the war, While I was in prison and Lee was on parole, we were both indicted on a charge of treason, but in hot haste to get in their work the indictment was drawn with the fatal omission of an overt act. General Lee interposed in the case of Gen. Lee on the ground that he had taken his parole and that he was, therefore, no subject to arrest.

Another grand jury was summoned, and a bill was presented against me alone, and am ending by inserting specifications of overt acts. Gen. Lee was summoned as a witness before that grand jury, the object being to prove by him that I was responsible for certain things done by him during the war. I was in Richmond, having been released by virtue of the writ of habeas corpus Gen. Lee met me very soon after having given his testimony before the grand jury, and told me that to the inquiry whether he had not, in the specified case acted under my orders, he said that he had always consulted me when he had the opportunity, both on the field and elsewhere, that after discussion, if not before, we had always agreed, and therefore he had done with my consent and approval only what he might have done if he had not consulted me, and that he accepted the full responsibility for his acts. The evident purpose was to offer Lee a chance to escape by transferring to me the responsibility for overt acts. Not only to repel the suggestion, but unequivocally to avow his individual responsibility, with all that, under existing circumstances, was implied, was the highest reach of moral courage and gentlemanly pride.—Jefferson Davis in North American Review.

Alliance Department.

☞[THE CAUCASIAN was adopted as the official organ of the County Alliances by the County Alliance, January 19th.☜

ORGANIZATION.

President—W. E. Stevens;
Vice-President—R. M. Crumpler;
Secretary—O. F. Herring;
Treasurer—J. R. Beaman, Sr.;
Business Agent—G. A. Clute;
Sergeant-at-Arms—B. S. Peterson;
Chaplain—Dr. G. W. Moseley;
Doorkeeper—W. J. Faircloth;
Assistant Doorkeeper—D. W. Williams;
Lecturer—Marion Butler;
Assistant Lecturer—P. B. Lockamy;
Executive Committee—J. A. Oates, Chairman; R. M. Crumpler, M. M. Killett, W. K Pigford, C. E. Daniel.

Alliance trade cards for sale at THE CAUCASIAN office at 25 cents per hundred.

The Executive Committee of the State Farmers' Alliance was in session in Raleigh last week. Much of the business transacted will not yet be made public. Col. L. L. Polk's resignation as secretary was accepted and Mr. E. C. Beddingfield, of Wake county, elected to succeed him. He is a young man though, has represented Wake in the Legislature. We hope he will prove equal to the important and onerous duties of the position of Secretary of the North Carolina State Alliance.

A few days since we heard a gentleman say that the trouble with the farmer was that he did not work enough; that if he would produce more, that hard times and depressed agriculture would be a thing of the past. That the first part of his statement is true in many individual cases we will admit, but the cause for the general depression of agriculture is to be found elsewhere. Let us take a broad view of the situation. During the year 1889, the farmers of the United States produced more corn than ever before. According to the report of the Department of Agriculture the total is over two thousand million bushels, which is more than two hundred million bushels more than was produced the year '88, yet the corn crop of '89 is not worth as much in the market as the corn crop of '88. Just think of it! The average price of corn in the United States today is only about 28 cents per bushel. Then there is something also the matter, something badly wrong; and it is that wrong that the Alliance is in pursuit of. Unjust legislation tells the story. This government is under the control of Plutocracy—money-kings, who are driving the producer to starvation in the midst of plenty, by gambling on the hard-earned products of his labor.

Official.

NATIONAL FARMERS' ALLIANCE AND INDUSTRIAL UNION,
Washington, D. C., Jan. 3, '90.

At an early day the Ritual, containg form for burial service, will be published and issued from this office. Also, the Constitution and Statuary Laws of the Order, with simple and practical rules of parliamentary usage. These books will be printed in neat and durable style and will each bear the imprint of the seal of the National Order. Rituals and National Constitutions without such imprint will not be recognized as official.

This office can supply State Secretaries only. Members of the Order must apply to their State Secretary.

By order of the President:
J. H. TURNER,
Sec'y N. F. A. and I. U.

He Was Puzzled.

Farmer Adkins: "I don't understand it. In 1870 I owed a man $180 and brought one bale of cotton to town weighing 500 pounds and sold it and took up the note. I was owing another man this year the same amount and brought two bales to town and sold it to-day and it took the last cent to pay it. I couldn't for the life of me understand how it is that it takes just 1,000 pounds of cotton to-day to pay the same amount that it took only 500 pounds to pay in 1870. It required twice as many hard licks to make these two bales—they cost me as much as the one bale and yet they buy me no more money. Somehow or other it looks to me that just one-half my labor has gone for nothing and somebody has got it without paying for it."

"Say, Allen, can you tell me how it is that I have to do twice as much work now for that $180 as I had to do in 1870?"

Allen—My advice to you, Mr. Adkins, is to take Alliance papers and read and study more about your business."

ANDREWS' CHAPEL ALLIANCE, No. 519.

IN MEMORIAM.

WHEREAS, God in His infinite wisdom saw fit on the 15th of December, 1889, to remove from midst sister MARY N. OWEN, therefore be it

Resolved 1st, That we bow with humble submission to this dispensation of His providence, knowing that He doeth all things for the best and that our loss is her eternal gain.

Resolved 2nd. That in the death of sister Owen our Lodge has lost a good member, the church a consistent christian and the community a genial friend, and that we extend to the family of the deceased our heartfelt sympathy.

Resolved 3rd, That a copy of these resolutions be placed on the minutes of this Lodge, a copy sent to the family of the deceased, and a copy to THE CAUCASIAN for publication.

J. P. CAISON,
M. M. HALL,
MINSON SESSOMS, } Com.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The System is a Failure--Let Us Have a Change for the Better.

In ante-bellum times we had a three months term of school each year, and the public fund was distributed with little expense. Since the war the school fund collected has grown to an enormous amount, and we would naturally expect an increased term of school, but the average is less than two months, and in many of the counties the future statesman of the country receive about 80 cents per year to fit them for the duties of citizenship. Is not our public school system a failure? We have a State Superintendent, ninety-six county superintendents, ninety-six school boards, and ninety-six county treasurers engaged in the management of the public schools in the State. An increased levy is impossible, as the constitutional limit is already reached. What remedy can be suggested to better our condition? Private educational enterprises suffer in proximity to a public school, we all know, and the mere pittance doled out each year ought to make us feel ashamed of our educational system. Let us have a change for the better, if such a thing is possible.—The Farmer and Scottish Chief.

Not One in Ten

Of the people you meet from day to day has perfectly pure, healthy blood. The hereditary scrofulous taint afflicts the large majority of people, while many others acquire diseases from impure air, improper food and wrong indulgences. Hence the imperative necessity for a reliable blood purifier like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which eradicates every impurity, and gives to the blood vitality and health. It cures scrofula, rheum, humors, boils, pimples, and all other affections caused by impurities or poisonous germs in the blood. All that is asked for Hood's Sarsaparilla is that it be given a fair trial.

COME SOUTH, YOUNG MAN.

Young men do not go West any longer, and if Horace Greeley were alive he would substitute "Go South." Mr. R. Wild, in a recent number of the Forum, shows by facts and figures that small farms no longer pay in the West, and that a well-to-do farmer in the East and South had better stay where he is.—State Chronicle.

Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Arkansas, says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an Incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

Jesse Middlewart, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Troubles. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. Sample bottles free at Dr. R. H. HOLLIDAY'S Drugstore, Clinton, N. C.

Keep doing, always doing. Wishing, dreaming, intending, mourning, talking, sighing and pining are idle and profitless employments.

SCHOOL ADVERTISEMENTS.

Clinton School
FOR
BOYS AND GIRLS.
REV. J. W. TURNER, A. M., Principal.
MRS. J. W. TURNER, Assistant.

Spring Term Opens Monday, December 30th, 1889.

This School is divided into five grades: Primary, Advanced Primary, Junior, Intermediate and Senior. Tuition rates according to the grades.
Latin, Greek and French are taught without extra charge.
No contingent fee is charged. Where expedient, Country Produce will be received in settlement of bills.
For Rates of Tuition and further information address,
aug8—tf REV. J. W. TURNER, Clinton, N. C.

Salem High School,
—:ESTABLISHED IN 1874.:—
MARION BUTLER A. B., Supt.
A Boarding School for Both Sexes.
Spring Term of the Session of '89 and '90 Opens January 6th.
RATES OF TUITION.

PRIMARY,	- - -	per month $1 00
INTERMEDIATE,	1st Grade, -	per month $1 60
	2nd Grade, -	per month $1 87½
ACADEMIC,	1st Grade, - -	per month $2 25
	2nd Grade, - -	per month $2 75
PREPARATORY COLLEGIATE,	- -	3 25

The Business course is especially for young men. The course of study is Book Keeping, Commercial Arithmetic and Business Law, with the requisite amount of time filled up with studies selected. Tuition per month $3.50.
Latin or French, in addition to the studies in any of the above departments, 25 cents extra per month.

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In this department instructions are given in both Vocal and Instrumental Music. Tuition per month $2.75 each. When the Vocal and Instrumental are combined, the pupil gets twice the amount of time for practice, with a reduction of $1.50 per month on the regular tuition rates, i. e. $4.00 per month. No extra charge for instrument.
A class of girls in ELOCUTION will be started at the opening of the term. Special training in Reading and in Recitations. Tuition 75 cents per month extra.
The Athenian Lit. Club and Philotechnic Lit. Society, separate organizations for the girls and boys respectively, are an attractive feature of the School.

BOARD:
Good Board, including washing, lights, &c. can be obtained in good families, convenient to the school, at from $6.00 to $7.00 per month.
For further particulars address,
G. E. BUTLER, (U. N. C.) Principal,
jy4—tf Huntley, N. C.

CLINTON FEMALE INSTITUTE!
—:o:—
This School, organized three years ago under the present management, has steadily grown in numbers and reputation. The Spring Session will begin
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Thorough instruction given by competent and experienced teachers in all of the departments, Collegiate, Music and Art.
TERMS REASONABLE. Boarding Department under the supervision of the Principal.
For further information apply for Catalogue.
dec5—tf MISS MARY ANDERSON, Principal.

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Spring Session Opens Jan. 6th, 1890.
A thorough, practical, wide-awake
SCHOOL,
that means business." Location healthful and Board and Tuition quite reasonable. Be sure to send for Circulars before sending your children elsewhere. Address,
J. A. MONROE, A. M., Prin.
dec26—1m Lumber Bridge, N. C.

Goshen High School.
Will Open Spring Term Monday, January 6th, 1889.
The School will be run under the same management as before.
We feel grateful for past patronage and trust for a continuance of the same.
For further particulars address the principal,
J. D. EZZELL,
dec26—tf Hobton, N. C.

JOHN G. CARLISLE.

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A MONTHLY REVIEW OF LIVING SUBJECTS
By the Foremost Writers in the World.
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The FORUM is of great value to that part of my college work which deals with practical politics and current questions. Two sets are hardly enough for daily use by students.—Prof. ALFRED BUSHNELL HART, of Harvard.
I consider THE FORUM as furnishing the most intelligent and sympathetic audience that a thoughtful writer can find to address in any land.—Prof. ALEXANDER WINCHELL, of the University of Michigan.
THE FORUM continues to hold its place as the foremost of our magazines, for the variety, the value, and the weight of its contributions.—THE NEW YORK TIMES.
There has come forward no problem of grave importance since THE FORUM was established that has not been discussed in its pages by masters of the subject. Announcements of forthcoming articles can seldom be made long in advance, for THE FORUM'S discussions are always of problems of present concern. Every such problem that the year 1890 will bring forward will be discussed, whether in politics, or religion, or social science, or practical affairs. The January number will contain a reply by ex-Speaker J. G. CARLISLE to Senator Cullom's recent article on "How the Tariff Affects the Farmer."
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NOTICE!

HAVING THIS DAY QUALified as administrator upon the estate of S. O. Sutton, deceased, notice is hereby given all the creditors of said estate to present their claims, duly proven, on or before the 12th day of November, 1890, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt settlement. S. R. DAUGHTRY,
Administrator.
HENRY E. FAISON, Att'y.
☞December 12th, 1889.—dec19-6t

Executor's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVing qualified as executor to the last will and testament of Jas. H. Lamb, dec, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of said testator, to present them within twelve months from the date hereof, duly authenticated, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to said estate are requested to come forward and make immediate payment.
J. C. LAMB, Executor.
W. S. THOMSON, Attorney.
December 18th, 1889.—19-6t

THE CAUCASIAN.

Entered according to Postal Laws at Clinton, N. C., as second class mail matter.

THE CAUCASIAN'S RECORD.

CIRCULATION: 1,671.

One year ago it was less than 800

Advertisers think of this.

CLINTON, N. C.—JAN. 16, 1890.

Many reports come back from the negro exodusters of their disappointment and dissatisfaction over the wild leap into conditions they knew not of.

Joe Chandler Harris, the author of "Uncle Remus," has been promoted as editor-in-chief of the Atlanta Constitution in the place of the late Henry W. Grady.

On last Sabbath a terrific cyclone, stretching all the way from St. Louis to New York, left death and destruction in its track. A severe storm off the Atlantic Coast is also reported. The weather Bureau predicts cold weather. Ice is reported in Louisiana.

The Grand Lodge of Masons is in session in Raleigh, N. C., this week. The Grand Secretary reports the order in a flourishing condition. Fourteen new lodges have been organized during the year. J. M. Marshburn is representing Hiram Lodge, of this place.

Does the average negro produce as much as he consumes? Nearly every farmer can answer no. Then are we not the gainers by his leaving? Again we have heard many white people in this county complaining of not having anything to do. They will now have a better chance.

On the 10th instant the Wilmington Star appeared according to previous announcement, printed out and out with new type. We congratulate our esteemed cotemporary, the oldest and one of the sturdiest exponents of Democracy, upon its enterprise and also upon its neat and handsomest appearance in its new dress.

Hon. Calvin S. Brice, chairman of the National Democratic Committee, has been nominated by the Democratic caucus of the Ohio Legislature for U. S. Senator, to succeed Senator Payne. This means an election as the Democrats have a majority of six.

LATER.—Brice has been elected.

The initial number of the "Voices of Peace" is upon our table. It is well edited and neatly gotten up. We have read with pleasure the articles on "The County Fair," "Personal Magnetism" and "Sequel to Ivanhoe." We notice that Miss Maggie Smith, pleasantly known to many around Clinton, is one of the local editors.

Judge William D. Kelley, of Pennsylvania, known as Pig-iron Kelly, died on the 9th inst. He was the oldest member of the House of Representatives in years, and in continuous service, having been elected to fifteen successive Congresses. Recently a cancer on the jaw, which he had removed several years ago, re-appeared and, probably, shortened his life, but the immediate cause of his death was intestinal catarrh of recent origin.

General Greeley says that the unprecedented warm weather has been caused by a succession of storms passing North of the 49 parallel from West to East, causing an almost steady passage of air across the continent from the Gulf toward Canada. On these occasions during the last three weeks hot air ballons have been sent up from Clinton, when the atmosphere seemed to be perfectly still, but the balloons in each case floated to the northward, which seems to bear out Mr. Greeley in his hypothesis.

FOR LAME BACK, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. For sale by R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker Mouth. For sale by Dr. R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

"HACKMETACK," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. For sale by Dr. R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

Our Farmers' Column.

SOMETHING INTERESTING TO THOSE WHO TILL THE SOIL.

"There is no material progress that is well based and permanent without agricultural progress."

Remove the Burdens and Let the Farmer Take Care of Himself.

The New York Evening Post puts the situation as follows:

"Issachar is a strong ass couching down between two burdens; and he saw that rest was good, and the land that it was pleasant; and he bowed his shoulder to bear, and became a servant under tribute.'

"The two burdens between which these descendants of Issachar are 'couching down' are the products of cheaper Western lands, with which they are brought into competition, and the taxes on everything they buy so ingeniously collected from them that don't know they are paying them. In the nature of things the former burden cannot be removed. The competition must be met by better husbandry and lower prices of land. Remove the other burden—the taxes collected from the farmer for the benefit and support of other industries—and the farmer will be able to take care of himself.

Utilize the hours after dark in useful reading.

The compost heap is the beginning of prosperity.

The earth is the farmer's bank of deposit.

Have nothing wasted on the farm.

A stirring man keeps his soil stirred.

Pitch your crops now for the next season. The early crop wins oftener than the late.

It takes thirteen months work each year to be a successful farmer.

The best fertilizer on a farm is good common sense, and remember you can't buy this in stinking bags at thirty dollars a ton.

The farmers are moving on the surplus. They ask that all the surplus shall be lent out on farm mortgages at two per cent. interest. This is not practicable, but we are glad the matter has been broached, and hope that it will be agitated. It is quite time that that money influence which has dominated and controled the financial affairs of the country should be warned off, and the rights of the people should be consulted. We have been paying large bonus to bondholders for the privilege of paying our bonds nearly twenty years before maturity, and they call that "financiering." Out upon such rascally performances! The people ought to speak in thunder tones their condemnation of such practices. —News and Observer.

Rye as a Fertilizer.

Prof. Budd, of Iowa, is reported to have said at one of the recent conventions; "Even turning under dry straw or anything to make vegetable mould in the soil is of more value than most commercial fertilizets." An Ohio man made the statement that "one of the best and cheapest fertilixers is rye ploughed under as soon as the heads appear." He had used it for a number of years with best results. Mr. Maywood, of New York, said he had repeatediy brought up poor pieces of land by sowing rye; and about June first, or just before the heads appeared turning it under; then sowing corn and turning that under. The next year he could grow almost anything on that land.—Exchange.

Clover for Old Land.

Clover is a most effective means of preventing waste of land by washing, and if every old field in the South could be covered with it, a hundsed million dollars would be added to the available wealth of the increase of the land alone. There is no difficulty in growing clover anywhere. It is one of the easiest plants to grow. Last winter I kept a number of cattle in a piece of open woods and fed them onee a day with about five pounds per head of clover hay. The hay was scattered about here and there over two or three acres, and the cattle ecattered it still more as they spread it about. This summer the land is well set in clover, and a bunch of calves feeding in the lot have spent a good deal of time in this clover patch. —Southern Alliance Farmer.

Salt Rheum

With its intense itching, dry, hot skin, often broken into painful cracks and the little watery pimples, often causes indescribable suffering. Hood's Sarsaparilla has wonderful power over this disease. It purifies the blood and expels the humor, and the skin heals without a scar. Send for book containing many statements of cures, to C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

Many Persons

Are broken down from overwork or household cares. **Brown's Iron Bitters** rebuilds the system, aids digestion, removes excess of bile, and warps malaria. Get the genuine.

IDEAS FOR DRESS.

Hat crowns grow lower.

The Hading veil is moribund.

Toques grow more pointed in front.

The tea gown bids fair to live forever.

A new shade of pink is called raw veal.

Green remains the color most in vogue.

Spring willow is a lovely shade of golden green.

The peacock's feathers are no longer in vogue.

Pompeiian blue looks royal and beautiful in velvets and plushes.

The favorite rose for white and rose tulle bonnets is the eglantine.

Black mull, drawn hats and bonnets are in fashion for country wear.

Round waists and belts are gradually displacing pointed bodices and basques.

The yellow mimosa is a favorite trimming flower this spring on black hats and bonnets.

Dresses of pale green crepe de chine are now fashionable with black gloves and ribbons.

The ball gown of the passing month is a poem of freshness, gauzy lightness and simplicity.

The newest blue is the wonderful Pompeiian, the brightest and most difficult of all blues to produce.

Wider and wider in front and narrower in the back grow the brims of this season's low crowned hats.

The newest fabric for little girl's wear is plaided mohair, light in texture and artistic in color combinations.

The striped tennis gown as well as the beach gown is frequently worn with a striped Cowes cap to match it.

Brilliant striped beach gowns, with Cowes caps of the striped stuff to match, are in preparation for the seaside.

The newest tea gowns are the mediæval, with cutrass corsages, full skirts and antique sleeves of every variety.

The most fashionable bonnets are not much bigger than one's fist, and are guiltless of flowers, feathers or birds.

Many new shades of green have been brought out as rivals to the still fashionable empire green of brightest emerald hue.

The directoire "coat" of the passing season is a model repetition of the coat worn by Charles Surface in the "School for Scandal."

Next in favor of green come shades of red brown, dull brick, terra cotta and Egyptian red, which are seen in both dark and light shades.

Cinderella slippers, almost covered with fine crystal and tinted beads, looking as if actually made of glass, will be worn by many ladies this season.

Among other lace novelties of the toilet are Spanish pelerines—black lace shoulder capes with long scarf ends that fall to the bottom of the dress skirt.

The new jerseys are made in many different ways, resembling in cut and style the most fashionable bodices of directory, empire and Josephine gowns.

Old rose and crushed strawberry shades are again fully established in fashionable favor, but they are much improved, being far more creamy and delicate.

Black and yellow is a favorite combination, black straw hats taking yellow ribbons and flowers, and yellow straw hats taking black ribbons and black feathers.

The wrap in highest favor is the one that partakes of both the jacket and cape, a tight fitting bodice, without sleeves, over which a loose cape reaches to the waist.

The newest and unique tints in millinery are magnolia, anemone pink, oak heart, English rose, lily leaf green, opal gray, summer sky, raspberry and spring willow green.

The thinner textures for real hot weather are fresh and charming and also luxurious, being mostly the open work tissues from far India. These are as expensive as satin or velvet.

The latest production of the English glass makers is a mottled white, rose colored and clear crystal, that gives the effect of white and pink rose petals in a clear glass bowl, jar, vase, flagon, pitcher or dish.

The corsages of those gowns which are made of the costliest semi-diaphanous and transparent tissues have crossed surplices on the bosoms in empire style, belted and pointed waists and airy scarfs that cross and tie in easy artistic folds.

The fancy wraps of this season are legion. There are corsage bodices with deep lace wings, Abbe Galant capes, empire mantles, Louis XV coats, pelerines and pelisses of lace, and long lace Connemara cloaks, and ever so many more.

It is hinted that the next freak in veils will be a return to those large, long, blonde lace ones in vogue about forty years ago, which were generally worn tied around the high crown of the Dunstable bonnet and thrown back, falling like a long mantle over the shoulder to a distance below the waist line.—New York Sun.

ODDS AND ENDS.

A grocer of New York city says that many women of the poorer classes start their fires with clothes pins when they happen to be out of kindling wood. For this reason the sale of clothes pins is very large.

The Yturbide, in the city of Mexico, is probably the grandest hotel in the world. It was built by the governor for his palace and cost $3,000,000. It contains a room used by Governor Yturbide for a chapel that is frescoed in solid gold.

A new fence is made of soft steel, cut while in the plate and drawn out after the fashion of paper love baskets. It is proposed also to make iron lathing by the same process, which, it is said, will be fire resisting and capable of being bent and hammered into corners and around curves in a way to put wood quite out of countenance.

In Anticipation.

Neighbor—Hello, Shaggs! What's going on here?

Shaggs—Wife's been away. I used all the dishes and want to get everything slick and clean before she puts foot in the house to-night.—Scribner's Magazine.

Knew What He Was About.

"Did I tell you, mamma, that Mons. X—— has asked me to be his wife, and that I have accepted him?"

"You must be out of your senses, child; he has not a cent, and will not have anything till after the death of his father and grandfather."

"But, mamma, dear, it's the grandfather I have accepted."

"Oh! you darling girl!"—Paris Figaro.

THE BOY'S WISE CONCLUSION.

She was a old maid, Aunt Sue was,
She never had any little boys
Er girls, like most of women does.
I guess she didn't like the noise
And bother 'at a baby brings,
And so God didn't send her none,
Set let 'em stay and wear their wings.
I bet they have a sight of fun
I've got a baby brother there,
And he's got wings, and, if I'm good,
I'm goin' to die and have a pair
Some time, 'cause mamma said I would.

When Aunt Sue was a girl, ma said,
She had a beau, like Sister Bess.
He went to the war and came back dead,
And that is all 'at saved her I guess.
'Cause, if he hadn't lost his life,
He would a' come back after her;
And she'd a' had to be his wife
And go with him jist everywhere!
I'd think she'd a' been awful glad
Because he didn't come, but died,
But stid of that it made her sad,
And mamma said she went and cried.

And, mamma said, a long, long while
After her beau was dead, Aunt Sue
Jist moped around and wouldn't smile,
Until they thought that she'd die, too,
But stid of dyin' she kep' on,
And turned out to be a old maid;
Jist 'cause the other beau was gone,
She wouldn't have no more, she said.
I pity Aunt Sue; but I can't
Help be glad 'at her beau died,
'Cause I wouldn't have a old maid aunt,
If she'd a been that feller's bride.

I like Aunt Sue; her ginger cakes
Are better'n what we have at home;
They're sweeter'n them my mamma makes,
And she 'most always brings me some.
And she's got lots of books and cats,
And a little dog, and she don't care
How much I play with them, and that's
Why I like so to go down there
Old maids are nice. When I'm a man,
If I don't live a single life,
But marry some one, it's my plan
To have a old maid for my wife.

—Commercial Gazette.

Not in Good Trim for Work.

Traveler—Where are you going, my friend, in such haste?

Possum Ridge Citizen—Goin' down ter town to ther show.

"Going to walk all the way?"

"Sartinly. Why?"

"It's twenty miles. Why don't you ride?"

"Hain't got no hoss ter spare. Jest got one, an' ther ole 'oman's workin' him in ther new groun' corn."

"Your wife?"

"Yas, o' co'se."

"Why don't you stay at home and do the plowing yourself?"

"Hain't able."

"You don't mean to say that you are going to the show and leave your wife at home to plow the crop?"

"Yas, what o' that? D'ye think I'm er goin' ter work when I'm gruntin? Why, I hain't hoed none in ther crap this ye'r. Jest felt awful bad, an' couldn't do nothin' but hunt an' fish. Thought I'd go to ther show terday. Reckon it'll be mouty nice, an' I don't keer for ther little walk o' twenty miles."—Time.

A Shy Subject.

Murchison—Wait a moment, Jack; I want to catch Miss Dacre as she comes out.

Hemmenway—I hope you'll have better luck than I did, old man. I took a snap pop at her in the Lander's conservatory last night, but she said she'd already been taken. Charley Hilyer is the lucky man.—Scribner's Magazine.

Mexico as It Is.

At a popular book store.

Salesman—You had better order a big lot of "Mexico as It Is." I've had a dozen calls for it this morning, and we are all out.

Proprietor—All right. I wonder what has started up the sale.

"Why, the Canadian government has passed the extradition treaty, and American absconders can't go to Canada."—Chicago Herald.

A Man with a Sensitive Conscience.

Agent of Emigration Society—Your rates are reasonable enough. We shall engage passage for 950 emigrants in your ship.

Captain of Steamship (dubiously)—The inspectors pronounce it unsafe for my vessel to carry more than 250. I am afraid I cannot conscientiously take more than 900.—Chicago Tribune.

Evasion.

Ed—Aw! deah boy, can you lend me two dollars?

Gus—I never lend in sums less than ten dollars.

Ed—Aw! well, lend me a ten dollar bill.

Gus—I haven't got it.—Harper's Bazar.

Willie had just come in with one eye in mourning, a swelled lip, and other traces of an animated personal encounter with some other boy, but his face wore an unmistakable look of triumph.

"I've been fighting again, mamma," he said, in anticipation of a rebuke, "and with Bob Stapleford, too, but he hit me first. He got in a stinger on my cheek bone."

"You should have turned the other cheek to him, Willie."

"I did, mamma," replied Willie, looking critically at a contusion on his diminutive fist. "I turned the other cheek toward him, but you can just bet your little pile I didn't give him time to hit it."—Chicago Tribune.

Summer in the Country.

"Where shall we go for the summer, Henry? Have you thought anything about it?"

"No, not yet. How would you like to go into the country again?"

"Well, perhaps that would do."

"I'll tell you what: let's stay at home. Leave the screens out of the doors and windows so as to have plenty of mosquitoes, get a poor cook and an impertinent waitress, make the beds up as hard as a board, get a spavined old horse and a carryall with stiff springs, and we can have all the advantages of country life without going out of town."—Chicago Herald.

A Big Sell.

Wife—I want some money to go shopping. Chepe & Co. are selling very cheap today and I must take advantage of their bargains.

Husband—Selling out, are they?

W.—Yes, and awful cheap, too. I saw some tables there the other day for nine dollars, and what do you think they are selling for now? Awful big reduction.

H.—I can't guess.

W.—Eight dollars and ninety-nine cents.—Yankee Blade.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Dr. R. H. HOLLIDAY.

MEN YOU HEAR OF.

George Meredith is writing two new novels, turning to each in alternation.

John Habberton, author of "Helen's Babies," is a member of The New York Herald's editorial staff.

Sir Edwin Arnold, author of "The Light of Asia," never sat for his photograph till a month ago.

Joaquin Miller has been appointed by the governor of California a member of the state forestry commission.

It is said that one of the English novelists, the author of many books, is able to repeat from memory every word he has written.

Mr. B. P. Shillaber, better known as Mrs. Partington, is writing and compiling a book of personal reminiscences during fifty years.

An account of the English pension list recently compiled for the London Society of Authors shows that Tennyson forty-three years ago was enrolled on the list "in consideration of his eminence as a poet."

James L. Babcock, of Ann Harbor, the young man who must marry or lose a fortune, will spend the summer in Europe. While in Europe he will hunt up some of his fair correspondents on that side of the Atlantic.

The public income of the Prince of Wales last year, in addition to his parliamentary allowance of $200,000 a year from the consolidated fund, was further increased by $81,000 as Duke Cornwall and $1,750 as honorary colonel of the Tenth hussars.

Hans Christian Andersen, according to Mr Gosse, was a peculiar and decidedly unpleasant child. When he was pleased he played on his hat like a tambourine. When harsh words were said to him his tears and sobs came as readily and copiously as those of the immortal turtle in "Alice in Wonderland."

Edward Bulger Dickens, the youngest son of Charles Dickens, represents a Protection district in the parliament of New South Wales. Twenty-eight years ago his illustrious father said: "Nothing under heaven could induce me to offer myself as a parliamentary candidate for any place under the sun."

NOVELTIES IN JEWELS.

Hollow balls of filagree and pale blue enamel alternating are a dainty conception in queen chain pendants.

A neat and inexpensive scarfpin head is a Roman gold square set with diagonal lines of pearls and turquoises.

Topping a double pronged hatrpin is a gold bar incrusted with diamonds and mounted by a star of small pearls.

Tortoise shell crochet needles, with incrusted gold tops, are a fascinating innovation and come in satin lined cases.

A plain silver band bracelet, with emeralds and rubies sunk into it alternately, constitutes one of fancy's latest freaks.

Bright gold hatchets, rimmed with small diamonds, constitute, just now, the most appropriate watch charms imaginable.

White enamel cuff buttons, oval in form and covered with slender gold filigree wires, have made their debut in the world of fashion.

A magnificent bronze plaque, inlaid with a representation of a fight between two crows, is a perfect example of artistic workmanship.

Among the latest eccentricities in oxidized silver is a match box that simulates an inch measure doubled into its smallest proportions.

A bar bracelet ornamentation of a pleasing character is a diamond dragon fly which is detachable and may also be made into a hairpin top.

Cute mustache brushes with chased gold backs coming in morocco cases that contain also oblong mirrors with etched silver backs, are very suitable birthday gifts.

In watch case ornamentation one that deserves mention is a sporting device composed of two diamond muskets, the tops of which are crossed above a ruby studded fox head.

An oddly constructed silver smoke set is designed to imitate stacks of bamboo canes resting upon a tray. It consists of a receptacle for matches, one for cigars and another for ashes, varying in height, all on the same order.—Jewelers' Review.

CATARRH CURED, health and sweet breath, by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal Injector free. For sale by R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

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The importance of purifying the blood cannot be overestimated, for without pure blood you cannot enjoy good health.

At this season nearly every one needs a good medicine to purify, vitalize, and enrich the blood, and we ask you to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. It strengthens and builds up the system, creates an appetite, and tones the digestion, while it eradicates disease. The peculiar combination, proportion, and preparation of the vegetable remedies used give to Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiar curative powers. No other medicine has such a record of wonderful cures. If you have made up your mind to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to take any other instead. It is a Peculiar Medicine, and is worthy your confidence.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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100 Doses One Dollar

NOTICE OF SALE.

G. W. Crumpler, et als. } Ex parte.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Sampson county, rendered in the above entitled cause, the undersigned, as commissioner of said court, will sell, on the 3rd day of February, 1890, at the courthouse door in Clinton, N. C., to the highest bidder, two tracts of land lying in said county, in Honeycutts township, belonging to the estate of the late Julia Butler, deceased, 1st tract containing 78 acres, 2nd tract containing 80 acres. Said land is sold for partition among the heirs at law of said intestate.

TERMS OF SALE—Two-fifths purchase money cash, balance in two equal payments, to be paid in six and twelve months respectively.

W. S. THOMSON, Com'r.

This December 18th, 1889.—4t

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And for the next six weeks we will offer our customers some Choice Goods (no old shop-worn goods) for

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Give us a call, whether you wish to buy or not.

Respectfully,

W. R. KING & CO.

NOTICE.

HAVING QUALIFIED AS as administrator upon the estate of Rebecca Tew, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons holding claims against the estate of the said Rebecca Tew, to present them to him for settlement on or before the 15th day of January, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the deceased are requested to make immediate payment. J. L. TYNDALL, Adm'r.

NICHOLSON & COOPER, Att'ys.

This Jan. 6th, 1890.—9-6t

NOTICE.

HAVIHG QUALIFIED AS administrator of Enoch Wilson, deceased, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons holding claims against the deceased to present them on or before the 16th day of January, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the deceased are requested to make prompt payment.

B. G. E. DAUGHTREY, Administrator.

NICHOLSON & COOPER, Att'ys.

January 16th, 1890.—4t

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Cures Hog Cholera

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And cures diseases resulting from indigestion and overwork.

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If you have a sick beast buy a pound and try it.

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SANFORD, N. C., August 2nd, 1889.

Messrs. J. C. Stevenson & Taylor, Wilmington, N. C.

DEAR SIRS:—We have been using "Champion Food" for twelve months and find that it does all that is claimed for it. It improves the general condition of stock and will cure Hog Cholera. We feed it to our stock regularly and would not do without it.

J. R. ALLSBROOK.

LAURINBURG, N. C., Sept. 17th, 1889.

Messrs. J. C. Stevenson & Taylor, Wilmington, N. C.:

DEAR SIRS:—After using the half barrel "Champion Food" purchased of you we can readily say that it has fulfilled every representation made for it so far as we have tried it. In no instance has it failed to benefit stock fed on it. We can particularly recommend it for milch cows, calves and colts. We regard it as the best stock food on the market. Send us another half barrel.

Yours Truly,

ALEX. MCKINNON & CO.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 10th, 1889.

Messrs. J. C. Stevenson & Taylor:

GENTLEMEN:—The "Champion Food" you sold us has been given a fair trial, it is a success, and we are glad to add testimony to its worth. When fed to our horses we find it aids digestion, creates an appetite and the animal improves at once; it is a great conditioner, and a trial will prove its value. We have fed it to our cows and with them also it has proved a great digestive, both the flow and the quality of the milk has improved, the per centage of increase we cannot yet positively state. The food does all you claim in the line of tests we have made; we shall continue its use and advise all the owners of stock to give it a trial.

T. J. SOUTHERLAND.

W. A. JOHNSON, Agent, Clinton, N. C.

J. C. STEVENSON & TAYLOR, Agents for N. Carolina.

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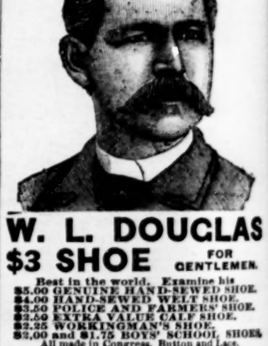

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HEADQUARTERS FOR BEST PEACH AND APPLE CIDER, (Corner of Elm and R. R. Street.)

SWEET AND HARD CIDER always on hand. In addition to this pleasant and healthy drink. I keep

Tobacco, Snuff,
Flour, Potash,
Candies, Soda,
and Pea-Nuts

which are sold at lowest prices for cash.

600 Pipes, of all styles and sizes. Try one.

Respectfully,

THOS. GAUTIER.

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CLINTON

Harness Establishment!

[ESTABLISHED IN 1867.]

I am now located on Fayetteville Street, opposite CAUCASIAN office.

I put up and keep in stock, or make to order, any style of Harness, from $13.00 to $40.00. I also make all styles and grades of Saddles, Bridles, Halters and everything in this line.

Good, honest work at the lowest living figures, is my guide and motto in business.

A large supply of Northern Harness and a fine line of Driving Whips always kept on hand. Call and examine.

Respectfully,

sep5—3m W. H. STETSON.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ "Wants" and Business Notices can be inserted in this column at ten cents a line.

Go to O. L. Chesnutt's sale next Tuesday.

Go to J. H. Royal's for Seed Oats.

Town Lots at Hives for sale on reasonable terms. See advertisement in another column.
J. J. HIGHSMITH & LOVE CULBRETH.

Capt. O. L. Chesnutt will sell, at public auction, on the 21st, all his personal property.

A large lot of new goods will arrive at the Racket Store this week. Bargains! Bargains!! Call and make your selections while they are going.
MISS M. F. PETERSON & CO.

HARDWARE!—A large supply just received at J. H. Royals. Anything you need, Plow Castings, Hoes, Trace Chains, Horse Collars, Back Bands, etc.

I will offer for sale several business lots, in the very heart of town, on Saturday, the 25th inst. Terms of sale: 10 per cent. cash, balance November 1st. C. P. JOHNSON.

FOR SALE!
Two good Horses and three fine Milch Cows. Bargains for those needing them. Apply to
J. A. STEVENS.

Paul Sherrod, the Clinton Barber, has associated with him Willie Farrior, formerly with J. H. Simmons, and is now better prepared than ever to serve his patrons.

NOTICE!
I have just received two car loads of Marble at my Fayetteville Yard. Also two hundred small five dollar Head Stones for infants. Parties who are in need of work in my line will do well to write or call to see me at my works.
Respectfully,
CHAS. A. GOODWIN.

Go to B. F. Powell's for Dry Goods, Groceries, Confectioneries Spectacles, Gail & Ax Snuff. R. R. Snuff, Patent Medicine, &c. I want to buy all your Goose Feathers Hides, Wool, &c.

Gilt Edge butter just received at
T. M. FERRELL'S.

I am taking stock. A large number of small lots of various kinds of goods have been placed on the BARGAIN COUNTER. They must be sold, therefore I am offering them at a mere song. Come before they are gone. Now is the time to prepare for cold weather, which is sure to come, so call and see me.
M. HANSTEIN,
King Hatter and Clothier.

ATTENTION!—J. A. Ferrell's cost sale is now going on. Bargains every day till he sells out.

First-class MILL ROCK from $25 to $35 per pair. Address,
R. M. ROYAL,
Owenville, N. C.

If you want a Trunk cheap call at
T. M. FERRELL'S.

WANTS.

"Wants" can be inserted in this column at 10 cents for first five words and 1 cent for each additional word for each insertion.

WANTED!
Ten thousand White Oak Staves, and three thousand pieces Poplar and Oak Headings, delivered at Parkersburg. W. J. PARKER & SON.

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Notice—Jas. S. Bizzell.
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Sale of Lots—J. J. Highsmith or Love Culbreth.
For Truck Farmers—The Wilcox & Gibbs Guano Co.

MARKETS.

CLINTON.

(Reported by A. F. Johnson & Co.)

Corn, (new)	60
Peas,	75
Bacon, 10 to	12½
Chickens, 15 to	25
Eggs,	10
Beeswax 18 to	20
Butter, 20 to	25
Lard, 10 to	12½
Fodder,	65
Flour, 4 50 to	5 50
Hides, 03 to	05
Turpentine, (hard)	1 20
" (Virgin and Yellow Dip)	2 35
Cotton,	9¼

WILMINGTON.

Spirits Turpentine, 40½	per gallon
Rosin, (strained) 95	per barrel
" (good strained) 1 00	per barrel
Tar, $1 50	per barrel
Crude Turpentine, (Hard)	$1 20
" " (Virgin and Yellow Dip)	2 20
Cotton,	10
Timber, per m., 3 00 to	13 00

Notice.

We are ready to issue certificates for special premiums to the parties to whom such were awarded. Where the premiums were shoes, hats etc., the party or parties to whom they were awarded should send us the number or size desired.
MARION BUTLER, Sec'y.

Trade Agents and Prices.

Mr. S. Otho Wilson, representing State Business Agency, met here on Monday the Trade Agents of the county. He had samples and price lists of the goods to be furnished through the State Agency. The following are some of the prices: Sugar 5 to 6¼, Soda 2½ to 4 ½, flour 3.40 to 5.25, salt 48 to 98, starch 2½, lye 2,60 to 3.00.

LOCALS.

—Cotton sold in Clinton to-day for 9¼.

—Clinton Lodge K. of H. meets Friday night. Every member is requested to attend.

—Southern and Western Sampson is alive over the new railroad. See the advertisements of lots for sale at Hives and Roseboro.

—Remember the special meeting of the Sampson Light Infantry on Fripay next. It is specially desired that every member be present.

—So far this season Florida is discounted. Mr. T. W. Boykin has collard plants six inches high, and attorney Richardson has radishes large enough to eat in his garden.

—The Sampson Light Infantry has rented for an armory the commodious hall over the new brick store occupied by J. H. Royal. We congratulate the company upon securing such excellent quarters.

—Work on the C. F. & Y. V. Extension is now moving along rapidly. The track is laid entirely thro' the county into Cumberland and the work is nearing Fayetteville each day by a mile or more.

—The Young Ladies' Club scored another success Tuesday night at Squire Beaman's. The Club made a happy hit, heeding the suggestiiveness of such a phenominal Jan., by serving ice cream. The evening was one teeming with the highest social enjoyment. The next meeting of the Club will be held at the residence of Mr. F. T. Atkins.

—The Clinton Female Institute opened its spring term with fifty pupils and has now over sixty enrolled. We are glad to know that this excellent school is prospering. We do not know the number of pupils at Rev. J. W. Turner's school for Boys and Girls and the other schools of the town. We learn that they are all doing finely. These schools should be handsomely supported by our people.

—We understand that several shipments of strawberries have been made this week from Magnolia, Faison's, and other points along the W. W. Road. A blooming huckleberry bush is now on our table and we learn that even young berries have been seen at several places in the woods. If a Rip Van Winkle were now to awake he would swear by the winds that the calendar was wrong—that it was May and not January.

—A Shakesperian Club will be organized at the residence of Mr. Wm. A. Johnson to-night. The membership will, of course, consist of those who have some literary taste and who choose to attend for intellectual improvement. There should be at least half a dozen such literary clubs in this town, with a public or circulating library. In fact they should be all over the county, at least, at every school; for an intelligent, cultivated and progressive citizenship must be a reading, thinking and acting citizenship.

Installation of Officers I. O. O. F.

Clinton Ledge, No. 124, I. O. O. F., is in a very prosperous condition—a number of new members have been received recently. The following are the officers installed at the last meeting, Monday night, the 13th instant:

D. B. Nicholson, P. G.
Dr. John A. Stevens, N. G.
W. G. Rackley, V. G.
O. F. Herring, R. Secretary.
J. S. Bizzell, F. Secretary.
G. T. Rawls, Treasurer.
Rev. J. W. Turner, Chaplain.
Bias Underwood, R. S. to N. G.
T. C. Pope, L. S. to N. G.
W. H. Stetson, W.
W. J. King, Conductor.
T. D. Smith, I. G.
C. T. Butler, O. G.
F. R. Cooper, R. S. to V. G.
W. S. Thomson, L. S. to V. G.
J. W. Underwood, R. S. S.
W. J. Pugh, L. S. S.

Apportionment of School Funds.

The Board of Education was at work last week apportioning the public funds to the various districts of the county. The amount of funds on hand for the schooling of 9,454 children during the year was $6,943.-50. $4,004.06 was parcelled out to the white districts containing 5,462 children, and $2,811.95 to the colored districts containing 3,962 children. This gives every child at least the pittance of 68 cents. The remaining $127.49 was placed to the contingent fund. The manner of apportioning this money is not understood by many, so have asked Supt. Royal to prepare an article explaining the same, which he has consented to do.

C. F. & Y. V. Schedule.

On Monday, the 20th, a passenger train will be put on the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Extension from Wilmington up as far as Parkersburg. The schedule will be as follows: Leave Wilmington 12.30 P. M. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and arrive at Parkersburg at 3. P. M. Returning, leave Parkersburg on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 12.30 P. M. and arrive at Wilmington at 3 P. M.

Attention!

We will advertise free of charge for any articles that may have been lost, misplaced, or taken through mistake at the Sampson Fair last week. Any one who has lost any article on exhibit will please send us a description of the same and we will try to trace it up.

Why the Time and Place of Christ's Birth is not Recorded.

Dr. B. F. Marable preached in the Presbyterian church last Sabbath, the sermon that he prepared for Christmas week. It was able and delivered in a very feeling manner, with genuine eloquence, despite the fact that the Divine was unwell. He said that while we celebrated the 25th of December as the natal day of Christ, yet the world does not know, and probably never will, the precise date or the place of Christ's birth. Scholars have agreed that the day was somewhere between the first of December and the first of April; and the Bible says he was born in Bethlehem of Judea and this place geographers cannot locate. Though there has been built a temple, called the "Temple of the Holy Covenant" on the supposed spot.

Was this omission in the New Testament accidental? No, for nothing necessary for us to know concerning the life of our Saviour could have been omitted in an inspired work. There then must have been a reason for the omission, which reason we may reverently conjecture. We are all too prone to grasp and magnify the incidents and details concerning a great person or event, which causes us to lose sight of the importance and magnitude of the person or event itself. This event it is true is the most important in the world's history, yet the important thing for us is that Christ was born, that He did live and that He did die for us; and the vital question for us is, "what has Christ, this great man of Gallilee, done for the world?" Then followed the finest part of his sermon. We are sorry that we can' give it verbatim to our readers.

A Sampsonian Abroad.

A large illustrated edition of the Tucson (Arizona) Daily Citizen has among the cuts of the prominent citizens of that city one of M. F. Shaw, a native of Sampson county, N. C., who is sheriff of Pima county. The following sketch of him is clipped from the Citizen:

M. F. Shaw, the able and efficient Sheriff of Pima County, was born in Sampson County, North Carolina, August 21, 1858. He remained in his native State, receiving here his early education, until he was seventeen years of age. In 1875 he went to Texas, and engaged in the cattle business. He came to Arizona in 1880, where he become interested in mining properties and the cattle business. He continued in this business until 1886, when he was appointed a deputy in the sheriff's office under his brother, E. O. Shaw. In October, 1887, his brother died, and he was then appointed by the Board of Supervisors to serve the unexpired term. In 1888, he was nominated by the Democratic party as their candidate for Sheriff, and was elected by a good majority. His term expires December 31, 1890. He has eight deputies under him, all of whom are carefully selected. His administration has been an exceedingly popular one, and in his offical as well as private career, he has given thorough satisfaction to the citizens of Pima County.

Duplin Items.

Mr. T. B. Cooper, who has been staying near Newton Grove, Sampcounty, for several years, and who spent the holidays with his parents at this place, left for Wilmington Monday, where he enters the employment of Mr. J. F. Woolvin, undertaker.

Quite a number of our boys came home to spend Xmas, among which were Dr. G. W. Southerland, of Texas, son of our townsman, Mr. J. D. Southerland, and Mr. H. O. McArthur, of Washington City.

The County Board of Education met here on Saturday last and apportioned the money for the Public Schools of the county, which was about forty-six cents per head.

Mr. H. E. Cox, of Mount Olive, spent Sunday in the village, visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Walter Shine, o Faison's, has moved his family to this place and will himself depart for the West in a few days, whither he goes seeking to better his condition financially,

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. J. Kelley will return to their home in Magnolia to-morrow, after spending the holidays with Mrs. Kelley's parents at this place.

Mr. Ed. Fennell, who has been out West several months, has returned to his home near this place, and says he prefers North Carolina to any of the Western States.

Kenansville, N. C., Jan. 13, '90.

Building and Loan Association.

A temporary organization of a Building and Loan Association for Clinton was formed in the Courthouse last night. A constitution modeled after the Wilmington Association was adopted. A charter will be applied for before the Clerk of the Superior Court to-day. $11,-500 of stock was subscribed. More will be subscribed to-day. Another meeting will be held in the Courthouse to-night for the election of a permanent President and Vice-President and a Board of five Directors. Clinton is to be congratulated upon this progressive move.

FULL WEIGHT PURE
DREW'S YEAST POWDER
Superior to all Substitutes
For raising and making Light, Digestible Biscuits, Bread, Tea Cake, Pies, Muffins, Waffles, Johnny Cake, Corn Bread, Short Cake, Pot Pies, Dumplings, Boiled Puddings and Buckwheat. 8 pound cans 6 cents. Sold by Country Merchants. Drew Manufacturing Co., BALTIMORE, Md.

Old newspapers for sale at THE CAUCASIAN office at 25 cents per hundred.

All Through the County.

What Sampsonians Are Doing and Saying.

☞Send us the news from your township for this column. Every subscriber to THE CAUCASIAN has a right and is requested to contribute items of news in "hes" or her neighborhood for this column. We will not publish your name unless you desire it.☜

HALLS.

Mr. Nete Hobbs killed a wild goose last week that measured six feet and eight inches.

PINEY GROVE.

Died, on Sunday night, the 12th instant, of pneumonia, Mrs. Wesley Sutton. She was a good woman and will be missed in her community.

HONEYCUTTS.

Married, at the residence of the bride's father, Rev. R. Honeycutt, Mr. James S. Simmons and Miss Virginia Honeycutt. The attendants were: Mr. J. C. McLamb with Miss Addie Royal; Mr. J. R. McLamb with Miss Sarah E. Simmons; Mr. J. S. Honeycutt with Miss Arrah McLamb; Mr. H. T. McLamb with Miss Lula Honeycutt. D. W. Tew officiating.

TURKEY.

Come out to New Hope Academy next Saturday and hear Mr. Marion Butler's speech.

The negro exodus has left this section destitute of farm hands.

We are glad to state that several of our farmers have decided not to use any guano this year.

TAYLOR'S BRIDGE.

Mr. Thos. T. James left last Saturday for Trinity College, where he will matriculate for the Spring Term. He is a young man of parts, and we predict for him a bright future.

Messrs. J. D. and H. G. Peterson, of this township, are chipping boxes. The turpentine is running as if it were mid-summer.

Married, on Wednesday, the 8th instant, Mr. Frank F. Moseley and Miss Roena Royal, Rev. R. C. Sandling officiating.

DISMAL.

Rev. F. R. Underwood preached a fine sermon at the Baptist chapel the second Sunday, which would have been enjoyed by all had it not been for the unmelodious strains of crying babies, which twanged away almost incessantly.

Where is winter? Christmas is gone and another new year has made its appearance and no winter. We guess the whistling March winds will make up the deficiency.

Farmers are beginning to prepare for another year's labor and they have seen no winter yet, which is very queer to some.

The Farmers' Alliance is on a boom in this part of the county. All are preparing to get guano and other articles as low as possible. They are making prices drop considerable.
CLOD-HOPPER.

Old Dismal is booming, for there are more handsome residences in course of erection this winter, and more preparing to build good and handsome buidings than ever before in the history of our township. It seems that our people have caught the spirit of progress, for this writer has never before seen at this season of the year in this section, the people so busy in and around their farms. Everybody seems to be straining every nerve to be ready for the approaching spring. Ditching, clearing land, moving out old fences, (and by the way that's the way for them to go—never move them in) hauling muck, surf, straw, and trying to raise more home fertilizers.

We are glad to welcome Miss Ida Autry back home after spending the Christmas holidays in old Johnston county.

Her hostess, Miss Vennie Bizzell, came Monday to take charge of the music department if Clement Model School again.

Mr. J. D. Williams was made quite happy on Christmas morn by a present of an exceptional beautiful baby, and Santa Claus didn't put it in his stocking either.

Rev. W. M. Page has purchased land in Cumberland county, near Starling's Bridge, and expects to move early this spring. We regret to lose him, but our loss will be the gain of another section.

Capt. J. L. Autry came very near having a runaway by his fine pair of black on last Sabbath as he was returning from church, but fortunately little damage was done.
BACHELOR.

P. S. If some one will give through your valuable paper a sure remedy for destroying ground moles "the Bachelor" will give his sure remedy for hog cholera.

LITTLE COHARIE.

The infant child of Mr. Thomas J. Faircloth died on Sunday, the 5th instant, of cholera infantum.

This section of Sampson once known as "the territory" is fast coming to the front. Yesterday morning while we were standing at our residence we heard the following evidences of progress within thirty minutes: The school-bell of Salem High School on one side and the bell of Hayne Academy on the other; then tooted forth the whistles of six steam mills from every direction of the compass; next the whistle of the locomotive on the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Extension as it went snorting through the back woods of Smokersville, and on the other side the whistle of the locomotive on the Wilson Short Cut; then too had peeled out the cheerful farm bells in every direction, calling the early laborers to breakfast. We began to be impressed with the progressiveness of our section, in fact felt as if we were waking up to find ourselves in the very center in the fore-ground of modern progress. May the progress of agriculture keep pace with the other elements of success. Z.

Hot weather! More meat lost!!

Misses Laura and Barbrey Crumpler, of Ora, are visiting friends and relatives in this section.

There was a very enjoyable party given at Mr. Dulaney Matthis' on last Thursday night

Hayne Academy is still booming. There were forty-five in school last week and some new boarders came in on Monday last.

Died, on the 6th instant, Mrs. Pollie Wrench, aged about 75 years.

The laying of tract on the C. F. & Y. V. Railroad has crossed Sampson and is now going on in Cumberland county. The train is quite a curiosity to the people of this section. They gather in from two or three miles around in buggies, and even wagon loads of men and women, to see the train and laying the tract. PLUG.

SOUTH CLINTON.

Rev. J. W. Turner, will preach at Chesnutt School House on Sunday, the 19th instant, at 11 A. M.

Rev. John W. Bell will preach for the present year at Oak Grove school house on the second Sunday of each month.

MINGO.

Mr. H. H. Draughon has a mulberry tree in bloom and has berries on it nearly half grown.

Sampson Agricultural Society.

(Special to THE CAUCASIAN.)

COHARIE, N. C., Jan. 7th, 1890.

MR. EDITOR: I chanced to be in your village last Saturday, the 4th, and through the courtesy of friends I attended a meeting of the Sampson County Agricultural Society. It was its annual meeting (the first after the Fair) for the election officers for the ensuing year. They unanimously elected for President that "true and tried" man, W. K Pigford, who, but for his excessive modesty, would have long since been to the front in other places. Judging the future by the past, Pigford for president means success. They elected, without a dissenting voice, D. B. Nicholson 1st and J. M. Powell 2nd Vice-Presidents. Abram Hobbs was re-elected Treasurer, with the understanding that if he failed to collect as much money as was needed he had plenty of his own to draw upon. They re-elected O. L. Chesnutt Recording Secretary and Marion Butler Corresponding Secretary. This, too, means success, for both of them know their business. If there was ever mullum made out of parvo in a short while, THE CAUCASIAN performed that duty last Nouember.

The President appointed a committee of three, consisting of M. Butler, Ex-President H. E. Faison and J. A. Oates to arrange a premium list for field crops, &c., and to report at the next meeting.

Everything passed off harmoniously. I enjoyed my stay among them and wish the next Fair abundant success.

Very Truly,
SILAS.

Beware of Ointment for Catarrh that Contains Mercury,

as Mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucus surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do are ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine, it is taken internally and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. ☞ Sold by Druggist, price 75c per bottle.

Godwin Items.

Hot weather and spoilt meat.

Mr. Wm. Culbreth, who is a large dealer in naval stores, bought on the 4th day of January, 1890, one barrel of new crop, "virgin."

Forty-two persons left this place on Monday, the 6th inst., for Georgia.

There has been received at this office a registered package that should have contained $55, in which there was not anything. May the person to whom it was addressed be successful in finding it.

A prosperous New Year to THE CAUCASIAN. AMICUS.

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood. Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers. For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters. Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50 cents, and $1.00 per bottle Dr. R. H. Holliday's Drugstore, Clinton, N. C.

CONSUMPTION SURELY CURED.

TO THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully,
T. A. SLOCUM, M. C.,
181 Pearl st., New York.

Labouchere Does the Big Toff.

Talking about boyish escapdes, "I have a vivid recollection," says Mr. Henry Labouchere, "of a day when, happening to have more money than I knew what to do with, I determined to do the 'big toff.' I sallied forth to the largest hotel in Eton, engaged a private room, and ordered the waiter to bring me a bowl of punch. The discreet functionary stared, but brought it; it was then my turn to stare and wonder what on earth I should do with the huge bowl full of a fluid the odor of which made me feel faint. At length, my eye resting upon a good old fashioned cupboard of antique oak, a brilliant idea struck me. I opened the door and poured the whole of the punch into the basement of the cupboard. Then after waiting a few minutes to see whether the obnoxious liquor would make inroads upon the carpet, the pattern of which was that of golden crowns on a royal blue ground, I rang the bell again, and, on the waiter appearing, in still more authoritative tones I ordered another bowl. Never shall I forget the expression of horrified amazement which came over the man's countenance. The second potation went the way of the first—that is to say, into the cupboard; and Alexander the Great, after his victory over Darius, could not have felt prouder than I did when I called for the bill, disbursed a sovereign for the punch, ten shillings more for the private parlor, tipped the waiter and staggered into the street, fully persuaded that the eyes of the whole inn were upon me, which, in my exultant state of mind, were tantamount to those of all Europe. I never went there again."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

The Terrier and the Bulldog.

I heard a good story a few days ago, says a correspondent of The Boston Post, which illustrates not only the intelligence of dogs and their power of communicating with each other, but that the same sort of experiences which tend to develop independence and self reliance in human beings have a similar effect with them. A gentleman who owns a small terrier and a mastiff found that the terrier was in the habit of going down a road on which he had occasion to pass a house where a bulldog was kept who hardly ever failed to come out and growl at and otherwise annoy him.

But beyond this exhibition of ill humor the bulldog's spite did not go until a certain day, when he bit the terrier quite severely. The next day the terrier went up to the mastiff and evidently had quite an interview with him on the subject of the injury which had been inflicted by the bulldog, for at its conclusion the mastiff accompanied the little fellow down the road. When the bulldog came out, apparently prepared to renew his assaults, both the terrier and the mastiff attacked him and gave him a thorough whipping, the terrier especially displaying a vigor and persistency which were remarkable considering the timidity which he had hitherto exhibited in presence of his old enemy.

The Effect of Thunder on Dogs.

An interesting story was told last year of a supposed mad dog out in Litchfield county that was killed because of its strange conduct, and afterward it was found to have been only frightened by thunder. It had run twelve miles and then taken to a strange house, run upstairs and refused to stir, and so was shot. It was a Scotch collie, and those dogs are peculiarly susceptible to and utterly cowed by thunder. There is one in this city not quite so bright as the sunshine in fair weather that becomes an utter imbecile as soon as thunder or even a firecracker is heard.

Yesterday afternoon, amid the distant rumble of a far away storm, he laid aside his intelligence and ran wildly off from home without it. A long search for him proved futile, but in a couple of hours he turned up, all wet and muddy, at his owner's office ready to be escorted home. On the penitential journey homeward they met another dog, not quite so big as this one, and at sight of the large and ruffled collie the strange dog dropped flat upon its belly and lay cringing and trembling, the victim of abject fear, until the dog, scared by a crack of thunder, had walked proudly by. There are all sorts of cowards.—Hartford Courant.

The Oiling of Waters by Birds.

The English Army and Navy Journal prints a letter from a naval officer, who suggests that the ancients, who knew the value of oiling troubled waters, learned this method from observing the sea birds. All the fish eating birds, cape pigeons, petrels and the like, eject oil from the mouth when captured. In the south Atlantic and south Pacific the writer had witnessed sea birds floating in spaces of comparatively quiet water when the sea around was rough. The unusual smoothness of the water was evidently due to considerable quantities of oil deposited by the birds. Notwithstanding this testimony, however, and occasional letters from ship captains bearing witness to their successful use of oil in tempestuous seas, there is a certain vagueness about the matter which is unsatisfactory. Some attempt ought, The Journal thinks, to be made to elicit reliable testimony on the subject of a more extended, definite and comprehensive character.

Somethmes Went.

A few days ago, in the trial of a case before an arbitrator, ex-Judge of Probate White contrived to convey an unwelcome idea in delicate phrase. He was engaged to oppose the plaintiff's case. One witness had said that the plaintiff "sometimes" went to church—a piece of information evidently intended to repel some insinuation by the ex-judge touching the plaintiff's innate and habitual piety. "I am glad," said the judge, "to hear that he sometimes goes to church. Nobody, certainly, more needs sanctuary privileges than he. If, however, he was ever caught out in a shower of divine grace he must have had on a strictly water proof garment."—Hartford Times.

He Figured It Out.

Algernon—Aren't you sometimes bored with young gentlemen callers who persist in staying too long?

Angelina—No; mamma is acquainted with most of my callers and knows how much time I care to waste on each of them, and she generally manages to terminate their calls about as I wish.

Algernon (just arrived)—What a capital idea!

Angelina's Ma (putting her head in at the door)—Pray, do not hurry, daughter, but I should like you to come to the back parlor when you may do so with propriety.—Omaha World.

The Art of Dyeing.

While the art of the dyer is as old as Tyre, and the colors of those of antiquity are not excelled in luster and stability, the variety has increased and the modes have become numerous and cheap. Dye baths and mordants were well understood in India 2,000 years ago, as were also one or more styles of calico printing, including the chintz pattern and the resisting process.—New York Telegram.

Of Course He Was.

First Boarding House Turkey—How are you feeling?

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Personals.

Miss Pattie Styron, of Durham, N. C., is visiting the Misses Patterson.

Mr. Charlie Moseley and Mr. Fennell, of Little River, South Carolina, are visiting relatives in town.

Rev. Mr. Woodson, representing Charity and Children of the Thomasville Asylum, gave our sanctum a call Tuesday. He preached an excellent sermon in the Baptist church at night, but we did not have the pleasure of hearing it.

Mr. John R. Patterson, of Durham, is visiting his father, Maj. W. N. Patterson. Our readers will remember the letters we published a few months since from his pen on "The Dark Continent," while he was in Africa, representing Duke & Son, of Durham.

Mr. L. A. Bethune, who has been on THE CAUCASIAN staff for more than a year; left this morning for his home in Cumberland. We regret exceedingly to lose his valuable services in our sanctum. He is a high-toned gentleman in every sense of the word, a young man of broad information, fine intelligence and most estimable character. He will probably take a course at the State University.

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W. L. Faison, Cashier Clinton Loan Association,
Against
F. L. Faison, administrator of A. M. Faison, deceased, William A. Faison, Vivie Devane, A. C. Dixon and wife, Mollie F. Dixon; Nathan W. Faison, F. L. Faison, De B. H. Faison and A. Mosely Faison.

The above action was brought by the plaintiff to recover judgment on a note made by A. M. Faison, deceased, and W. A. Faison, one of his surities, the said Abner M. being the father of the defendants, Vivie Devane, Mollie Dixon, Nathan Faison, F. L. Faison, De B. H. Faison and Mosely Faison for the sum of $1,200, due October 26th, 1888; and for a foreclosure of a mortgage on two tracts of land, known as the Fortner and Mears places, made by the said Abner M. and W. A. Faison to the plaintiff to secure the said note.

And the defendants, Nathan W. Faison and Mollie F. Dixon and her Husband, A. C. Dixon, are hereby notified to appear before the Judge at the the next term of our Superior Court to be held for the county of Sampson, at the courthouse in Clinton, on the 1st Monday before the 1st Monday in March, 1890, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, filed in this action.
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Ar Fayetteville	6 00 "		
Lv Goldsboro,	3 10 "	7 40 pm	8 35am
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Lv Tarboro		10 20 am	
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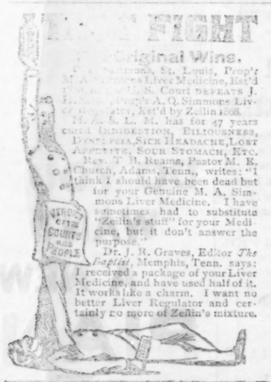
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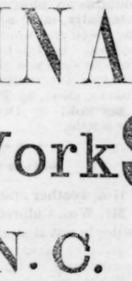

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